

**ASSEMBLY BILL**

**No. 720**

**Introduced by Assembly Member Villines**

February 17, 2005

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An act to add Section 89005.7 to the Education Code, relating to the California State University.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 720, as introduced, Villines. California State University: observance of Veterans Day.

Existing law prescribes the holidays in this state for state agencies, public schools, and community colleges. Among the holidays prescribed in this state is November 11, known as Veterans Day.

Existing law establishes the California State University under the administration of the Trustees of the California State University. Existing law authorizes the trustees to provide, by rule, for the holidays to be observed by the employees of the university.

This bill would require each campus of the California State University to observe November 11 as a holiday by closing on that day. The bill would also require the university to observe the following Monday as the Veterans Day holiday when November 11 falls on a Sunday, and to observe the preceding Friday as the Veterans Day holiday when November 11 falls on a Saturday.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 89005.7 is added to the Education Code,  
2 to read:

1 89005.7. Notwithstanding any other provision of law:

2 (a) Each campus of the California State University shall  
3 observe November 11, known as Veterans Day, as a holiday, and  
4 shall be closed on that day.

5 (b) When November 11 falls on a Sunday, the university shall  
6 observe the following Monday as the Veterans Day holiday.  
7 When November 11 falls on a Saturday, the university shall  
8 observe the preceding Friday as the Veterans Day holiday.